

8 808-B

SECRET/NOFORN

WORKING PAPER

8808 (8925 P-2)  
890803  
S: ~~65~~ ~~64~~ 64  
V: 079

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

During this session, it was reported that LTC William (Rich) Higgins is at two different locations. The first is Dayr Qanun an Nahr and the second is Al Manzilah. See ENCLOSURE 1. It is not known why he was reported at two different locations. During this session, it could not be determined if LTC Higgins is dead or alive. In approximately three days, there will be a female who is either a news reporter or a radio personality in Beirut that will help lead to the whereabouts of LTC Higgins. LTC

STAT

STAT

It was

also reported during this session that the group who claim that LTC Higgins was executed is not the terrorist group who is currently holding him.

Joseph Cicippio, Terry Waite, Alan Steen, and Edward Tracy are currently located in an area near Qaytulah. See ENCLOSURE 2. Joseph Cicippio and Terry Waite will not be executed based on the fact that the terrorists do have world wide attention and this is what they want.

Referral Review by NIMA/DoD

Thomas Sutherland is currently located at Al Babiyah. See ENCLOSURE 3.

Terry Anderson is currently located at Libbaya. See ENCLOSURE 4.

Jesse Turner and Robert Pohill could not be located during this session.

During this session, it was reported that Terry Waite will come out alive based on his own lie. Negotiators should be able to realize this and back him up.

The next two weeks will be extremely tense however there will be a break in the crises situation after August 16th. At this time, an exchange of hostages is highly possible and Tunisia and Algiers will prove very beneficial at the negotiating tables.

As for the Obeid, it is most likely that he is telling the truth to the Israeli's. This is based on the fact that he afraid for his own life and he is not a strong individual. He was described as a "softie" and now that he himself is a hostage he can't take the pressure. He was described as a "planner" in the kidnapping of LTC Higgins however once Higgins was captured, there was little involvement with him.

**Next 3 Page(s) In Document Exempt**

11

Search -

Hostages are pretty much same area as has been

in secure terrorist's territory -  
there will be hold out -

Know now - end is near for -

Hostages - 1

Sea ships

Beware of

Hijacks - more news on Hugos

Female - at Birth news a day  
will lead to conclusion of H in three  
days

Tense for 2 weeks -

after 16 Aug - easing up will begin

HIS

Thatched under - tied up  
more like a house

like a tunnel under a house

STAT

(2)

They people claiming his death - are  
not the people holding him

F-9 Days Qanun An Nahr.

Muir -

Al Mawjinah

Cirippis  
Stein  
Reef  
Tracey

Currently in close grouping

Sutherland is alone

Anderson is further than  
the rest - stays remote

Can easily set C, S.R, T.

Anderson - east

Sutherland - West

others in middle

Qanun An Nahr

③  
Turner further North

Want move him

E.S. Kauthariyat As Signal.

Hummin AT T hatched

Rum. C.S.T.R.

Under E in Sabaoon On  
62 Strong Hold.

~~Libya~~ <sup>bay</sup> - Anderson

E.S. Sutherland.

At Babiyah

arranging the hostages as their  
barrier or wall -

outcome of Cippies

- will stay alive -

- will be exchanged -

Very Wait - live and get out -

World wide attention

They fear the attack

The captured man -

How much has he been involved  
with Higgins

One of planners  
once kidnapped there was  
no more involvement -

Why talking :

Afraid of his own neck

He's a weak man - frightened for his own life  
not a brave man  
not a warrior -

Tunisia - Algiers for additional  
intell data

Exchange highly possible

*H*  
SECRET/NOFORN

PROJECT SUN STREAK

WARNING NOTICE: INTELLIGENCE SOURCES AND METHODS INVOLVED

PROJECT NUMBER: 8926 *8808-B* SESSION NUMBER: 64

DATE OF SESSION: 3 AUG 89 DATE OF REPORT: 3 AUG 89

START: END:

METHODOLOGY: SOLO VIEWER IDENTIFIER: 079

1. (S/NF/SK) MISSION: Determine whether USMC LTC William Rich Higgins is dead or alive.

2. (S/NF/SK) VIEWER TASKING: Determine whether USMC LTC Higgins is dead or alive.

3. (S/NF/SK) COMMENTS: No known inclemencies noted. A Summary of Information is attached to this report.

4. (S/NF/SK): EVALUATION:

HANDLE VIA SKEET CHANNELS ONLY

SECRET/NOFORN

CLASSIFIED BY: DIA (DT)  
DECLASSIFY: DADR